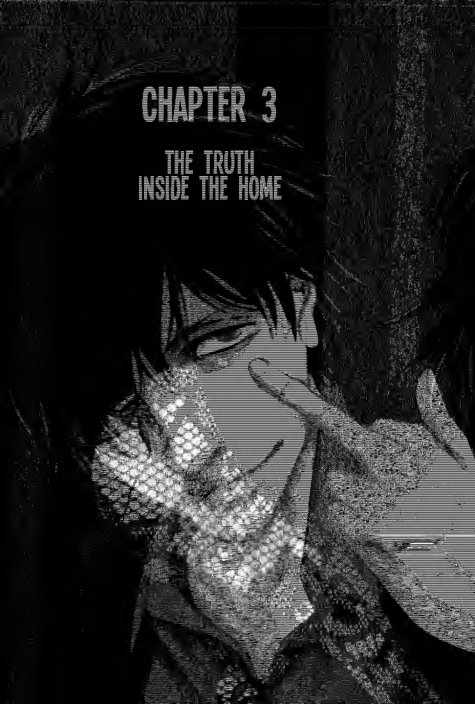
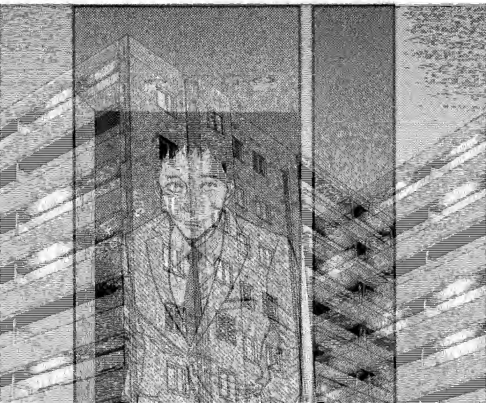


# CHAPTER 3


## THE TRUTH INSIDE THE HOME



COME TO THINK  
OF IT, I'VE BEEN  
GETTING THIS WEIRD  
FEELING, AS IF  
SOMETHING WASN'T RIGHT,  
THE ENTIRE TIME...







TORI-  
MORI...  
THE PRES-  
IDENT OF  
THAT HOME-  
OWNER  
ASSOCIA-  
TION?

OUR  
NEIGHBOR  
TORI-MO-  
RI-KUN IS  
SCARY?



AHH,  
THAT'S

I COULD  
HAVE BEEN  
MISTAKEN.

YEAH...

AND  
MOST  
IMPOR-  
TANTLY,  
I HAVE  
MY DEAR  
MOMOKA  
SUPPOR-  
TING  
ME.

AN AVE-  
RAGE JOB...  
THOUGH I'M  
LIVING <sup>MY LIFE</sup> ~~ON THE~~ <sup>IS WONDER</sup> ~~LY,~~ <sup>FULL</sup> AT LEAST  
I MANAGED  
TO FIND  
A GOOD  
ABART-  
MENT.


!!

CLANG  
CLANG



TO FOLLOW THE  
GUIDE-  
LINES OF  
SOCIETY...!

PLEASE  
TELL  
YOUR  
WIFE



I MERELY  
THOUGHT  
THAT HIS  
OVERZEALOUS  
NEVER-  
HE WERE THAT  
OF A STRICT  
ASSOCIATION  
PRESIDENT.

MOMO-  
KAI!

I CAN'T  
HOLD  
BACK  
ANY LONG-  
GER!!

AH...  
WAIT...  
KEN-  
CHAN...

IT'S FINE,  
WE'RE ON  
THE EIGHTH  
FLOOR!  
NOBODY  
WILL SEE US!

MOMOKA!  
CAN I?  
PLEASE?

OSE  
CUR-  
INS  
RST,  
THE  
OPLE  
'SIDE  
ILL  
E...

FIR  
OR  
PEO  
OUT  
W  
SE

I MUST BE  
WRONG, OR  
SO I HOPED...

**YAH!!!**

WHY  
WHAT  
HE NOT  
ER, NO  
WOK  
**THIS MORNING,  
I WAS STILL  
HALF-ASLEEP,  
BUT I HEARD  
SOMETHING  
FROM THE LIVING  
ROOM... AND THEN  
I SAW IT...**

**I'M  
HOME-**

**BUT... L-LIS-  
TEN TO  
EVER SINCE  
ME...!  
THEN...**





ENTERING  
OUR APART-  
MENT WITH-  
OUT PERMISS-  
ION... YOU  
I WON'T FORGIVE  
THE PODDOL  
YOU COME OVER,  
EVEN IF  
YOU ARE THE  
PRESIDENT!

I'M GOING  
TO HAND  
OVER TO  
HERE, WHAT'S  
THE MAT-  
TER,"  
YOU BAS-  
TARD!!

WHAT'S  
THE MAT-  
TER?

?!

STOP  
THIS



UM...  
...YES! I'LL  
LEAVE  
IT TO  
YOU...!!

SO, ARE  
YOU SURE  
THE TARGET  
IS THIS  
MAN?





I'D LIKE  
TO VISIT  
YUMEHARA-SAN  
IN ROOM 201.

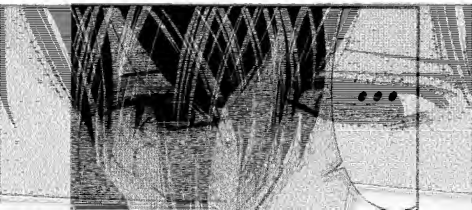
HEL-LO, I'M  
FROM THE  
POLICE....!

OF..  
COURSE,  
GO  
AHEAD..



PFF,  
HANA..

THANK YOU!!



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K.

ESPECIAL-  
LY NOT IN  
THE STYLE  
OF A ROB-  
BER....

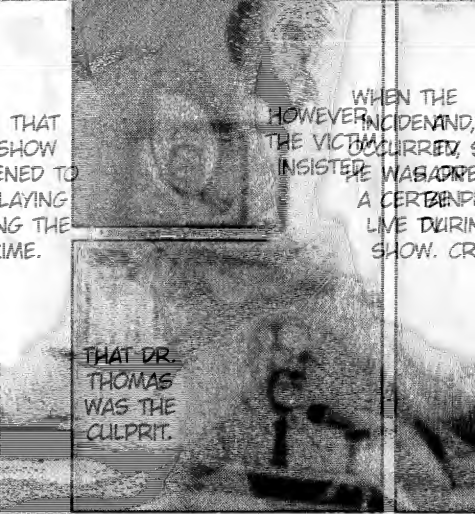
...I DON'T  
THINK  
THAT SORT  
OF THING  
IS POS-  
SIBLE.

ALTHOUGH  
I'VE MEET  
USOBU  
TADASHI  
BEFORE  
DON'T  
REMEMBER  
HIM EVER  
WEARING  
A MASK

OR  
PERHAPS  
THAT GUY  
THREATENED  
HER...?

MAYBE  
SHE'S  
SCARED  
OF TEL-  
LING THE  
TRUTH,

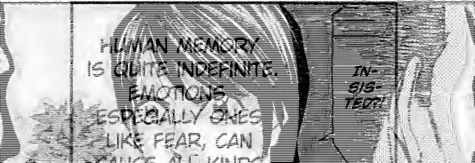
...IN OTHER  
WORDS...  
DETECTIVE  
TADA, ARE  
YOU SAYING  
THAT SHE IS  
LYING?



THAT  
SHOW  
ENED TO  
LAYING  
NG THE  
IME.

WHEN THE  
HOWEVER, INCIDENT AND,  
THE VICTIM OCCURRED, S  
INSISTED HE WAS A  
A CERTAIN  
LIVE DURING  
SHOW. CR

THAT DR.  
THOMAS  
WAS THE  
CULPRIT.

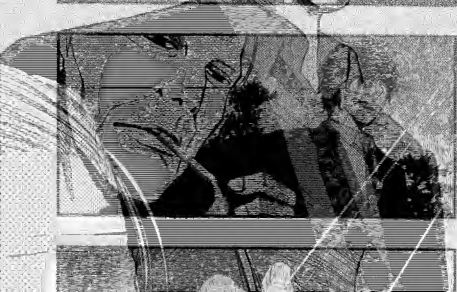


HUMAN MEMORY  
IS QUITE INDEFINITE.  
EMOTIONS,  
ESPECIALLY ONES  
LIKE FEAR, CAN  
CAUSE ALL KINDS

IN-  
SIS-  
TENT!







WAS  
PRETTY  
GOOD,  
HUH?

THAT  
CIGA-  
RETTE...


UFF  
OUGH  
AA...  
!!

ORE P  
IS ENC  
...



"THE MIND  
WHICH CAN'T  
SUSPECT."

THE HUMAN  
MIND IS MADE  
OF THAT WHICH  
IS "CONSCIOUS"  
AND THAT WHICH  
IS "UNCON-  
SCIOUS."



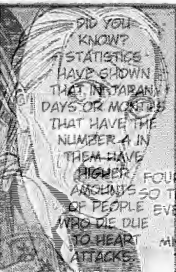
B... BUT,  
EVEN SO,  
TO CAUSE  
DEATH...



ONCE THEY  
FELL INTO  
FEAR, THE  
"SUSPEN-  
SION OF  
DISBELIEF"  
BECAME  
STRON-  
GER.



! HAA  
HAGUNCON  
SERIOUSLY  
LED HUMANS  
TO THEIR  
DEATH.



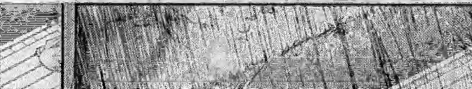
DID YOU  
KNOW?  
STATISTICS  
HAVE SHOWN  
THAT IN JAPAN  
DAYS OR MONTHS  
THAT HAVE THE  
NUMBER 4 IN  
THEM HAVE  
HIGHER

FOUR EQUALS D  
AMOUNTS SO THE SAYING  
OF PEOPLE EVEN IF IT IS C  
WHO DIE DUE A FOOLISH  
TO HEART MISCONCEPT  
ATTACKS. THIS KIND C

HAA

HAA

DEATH,  
GOES,  
ONLY  
H  
ION.  
OF








IF YOU  
EVER NEED  
MY ASSIS-  
TANCE...  
AGAIN.

FEEL FREE  
TO CONTACT  
ME



I'M VERY  
SORRY...  
I'M NOT  
FEELING  
WELL...  
PLEASE

...WHY  
WOULD I...  
WANT TO  
SEE YOU  
AGAIN...



EVERYTHING  
SHOULD BE  
OVER WITH...

CLICK





RKEN...  
-CHAN...

WHAT  
WILL  
YOU  
DO  
OLDMO-  
KAY

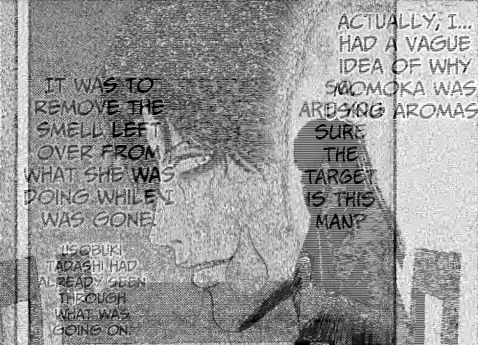
YOU  
HUS-  
BAN  
IS  
HO-  
ME

AT FIRST,  
I JUST  
WANTED TO  
SIMPLY  
LET THEM DO  
WHAT THEY  
WANTED...  
BUT... BUT...  
THAT, AH...

SO...  
RRY...  
THEY'RE...  
FROM  
COL-  
LEGE...  
SAME  
CLUB...

AT...  
AT  
FIRST...





IT WAS TO  
REMOVE THE  
SMELL LEFT  
OVER FROM  
WHAT SHE WAS  
DOING WHILE I  
WAS GONE.

USOBUKI  
TADASHI HAD  
ALREADY SEEN  
THROUGH  
WHAT WAS  
GOING ON.

ACTUALLY, I...  
HAD A VAGUE  
IDEA OF WHY  
SOMOKA WAS  
ARISING AROMAS  
SURE  
THE  
TARGET  
IS THIS  
MAN?



THAT WAY, SHE  
WOULD CONSIDER  
IT REPAYMENT FOR  
WHAT SHE'D DONE...

AND, THAT  
DAY SHE'D  
BE SURE  
TO DO IT  
WITH ME.



MOMO-  
KA...  
OR  
ME... IT  
DOESNT  
MATTER...

PLEASE  
KILL...

## No staff needed... but translators are always welcome!

Right now, all our series have full teams! I don't know how long this bliss will be, but may it be eternal while it lasts!

Now, the first step for a tiny team like ours to expand is to get new projects. And to do that, we need translators. Right now, Death Toll has three translators associated with it, plus our great freelancer Royal.

If you know Japanese and there's a series you'd like to translate, or one of ours you'd like to see active again (*Diamond Cut Diamond*, *Underdog* - just four chapters to completion! - *Demon Assassins* etc.), why not try joining us for a bait chapter?

The reason I say "bait chapter" is that I cannot guarantee we will be able to start new projects just by getting translators. Death Toll has a peculiarity: we advertise our positions asking for people who want to do that series in particular, and we don't give our staff assignments they don't want to do.

The upside of the policy is that motivation is never a problem. Even for our series that have low release paces (most of them, sadly), the staff waits patiently because they are personally interested in them.

The downside is that most of our translators are personally interested in only the series they applied for. We have a couple of factotums who like scanlation for scanlation's sake - they are lifesavers! - and will take any job, but they are very few. Most of our team members do just one or two series. (A small advantage of that is that burn-out is never an issue.)

But we do have a policy of odd jobs, that is, asking our staff graciously to do one chapter of something else just to help us. If I get a new translator for a new project, I can almost certainly get a chapter out, and then we can try to use it to fish for new staff to complete the team and make the bait chapter into a new project! You gain a release and team to work with, and we get new members to our skeleton crew! Double win! :o)

Death Toll is a quiet group that does mostly second-tier and obscure manga. Any team member can suggest new series and our structure is not vertical. Heads of Department's only prerogative is setting standards and grading applications, but once you are approved (well, sometimes there is a short probation period) you have final say on your work unless you mess up badly. And everyone here says "please". Seriously, even though I am Admin, my job is mostly serve as everybody's secretary and pick up the drudgery. And bore you to death with these ads.

Our series were originally survival manga, but now, while there is still a bias towards violence, we can do most genres. Most of our series are seinen, but the only genres we would probably not do would be BL and GL as no one that I know of is interested among us. Romance, josei and shoujo would be hard to get staff for from our team (we did do *Naraku* r/a long time ago), so they are also a tough call, but we are open to anything else. (Well, we don't have any philosophical objection to hentai as nearly everyone here is of adult age, but in that case, bring your own editors :D)

We try to keep high standards, and we do have a TL test if you are not experienced. We've uploaded it to Lingur: <https://lingur.com/1Yr5ctq.jpg>. Transcribe the Japanese and translate it, then send us the translation and the script as a PM to Wraith in the forums ([deathtollscans.net](mailto:deathtollscans.net)) or Kendama at Betoto. Our Head Translator says it's hard, so don't worry if you make a couple of mistakes.

If you are experienced, though, you can send us some of your past work and we will tell you if you can bypass the test. And if you absolutely insist, I can give you a whole chapter to translate as test. We're not fussy, really.

So, feel like giving it a try? Our group is rock bottom and tired of digging further, so the only way now is up!

The Internet, March 15, 2016

Wraith

Death Toll Scanslations

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PROOFREADER

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